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Project Operation  
PROJECT EMPLOYEE REFRESHER OPERATIONAL EXERCISES  
FOR EMERGENCY SITUATIONS, MULTIPLE-PURPOSE PROJECT WITH POWER

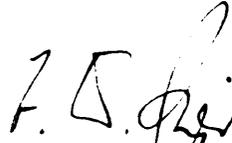
1. Purpose. The purpose of this memorandum is to establish the requirement to have periodic operational exercises conducted on abnormal or unusual emergency situations that may occur at multiple-purpose projects with power.
2. Applicability. This memorandum is applicable to all Omaha District multiple-purpose projects with power.
3. Reference.  
  
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4. General. Each hydroelectric powerplant will hold group discussion meetings on a regularly scheduled basis to deal with all aspects of probable and possible emergency or abnormal situations. The abnormal or emergency situations shall include, but not limited to: generator overloads, electrical system disturbances, loss of communication, headgates and spillway gates operation, using emergency diesel power source, governor behavior on main and auxiliary valve during intake gate closure, etc.
5. Requirement. The meeting should be scheduled for a 2-hour period and held approximately at 6-month intervals, attendance would include maintenance forces and all operators not on duty. The time selected should be on a week-day shift for maximum attendance during normal tours of duty. It is expected that operators not on duty will attend the meeting and normally be compensated on an overtime basis; excused absence should be accompanied by a relatively important reason.
6. Objective. The objective of this memorandum is to have at multiple-purpose projects with power, a capable and alert operating organization who can function effectively, and safely under abnormal, unusual or special operating conditions. The success of the group discussion plan will largely depend on a well directed effort on the part of project supervision which in itself will aid the hydroelectric powerplant training program and encourage

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This Memorandum Rescinds Omaha District's Letter dated 16 May 1962,  
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more complete employee participation. Minutes of each meeting will be maintained at the project and an informational copy of minutes sent to Omaha District Operations Division.



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